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When Greeks meet Bulgarians they'll have to do as the Bulgarians do or lose their national spirit.

France wants a paltry \$25,000,000. And France goes right where the money is—in the United States.

The chief value of Gen. Pershing's latest official report is to confirm the rumor that Francisco Villa is still alive.

"Violent Earthquake Rocks California." Begging your pardon, it wasn't an earthquake; it was nothing but fire.

Apparently there is no end to those Russian troops. Next thing the czar will be sending some of them over into Africa.

The Mexican peace commission will hold its deliberations in New England. It knows where to find peace—calm, quiet, contented peace.

Motorists who open their muffler cut-out in Brattleboro should take along the exact change, \$6.45, to avoid waiting over for the morning session of police court.

No doubt the United States government is keeping a close watch on the interned vessels in American ports. No childlike trustfulness will fill the requirements.

Berlin, Ontario, changes its name to Kitchener. Good old Berlin, Vt., putting the accent on the first syllable rather than the last, will retain its name despite the war.

A marble quarry in Brandon which has not been operated for 25 years is being reopened for quarrying stone. Marble, as well as granite, is one stock in trade which does not deteriorate, no matter how long it is left in the ground; and, moreover, it is always there when wanted. It is not for burglars to carry off.

The neighboring town of Williams-town is to hold Old Home week observance during the next week in common with a policy adopted by many other Vermont towns, and the events of the week should prove of marked interest to the people of that community and to the former residents who may be called back by the knowledge of the preparations. Williamstown has sent out a great many sons and daughters into every section of the United States, and those who are in a position to return will probably be found in the gatherings at the various festivities of the celebration. We wish Williamstown a full measure of success in its undertaking.

Lest the decision of the state department of education to delay the opening of public schools in Vermont because of infantile paralysis in other states should lead to the inference that Vermont is now afflicted with an epidemic of the disease, it should be distinctly stated on the authority of the state board of health that there are no cases of the disease in Vermont at the present time. A national health authority stated recently that since Jan. 1 there had been 15 cases of the disease in Vermont, but there does not seem to be evidence to support that assertion. We had expected the state board of health to say something in refutation of the declaration but as yet nothing has been forthcoming, although now the positive assertion is made by that board that there are no cases of infantile paralysis in Vermont at the present time. To keep out the disease the state educational department has seen fit to keep the school doors closed for a time, amounting to at least two weeks in most cases.

BARRE GETS A NATIONAL CONVENTION

The Barre Board of Trade is to be congratulated on its success in capturing the 1917 convention of the American Cemetery Superintendents' association, a national organization, as the name implies. The 1916 convention has been meeting this week in Norfolk, Va., that city having been selected last year in competition with Barre. In fact, Barre has been trying to secure this association for several years, chiefly because the association's interests are so closely allied with Barre's great industry and because there is so much of special interest about Barre for members of the association. Barre already has had the pleasure of entertaining the New England association of superintendents and it is thought that the benefits of the convention were mutual. Therefore, the prospect of entertaining a much larger organization of a similar nature appears greatly to Barre's spirit of hospitality. No slight efforts will be needed on the part of all the citizens of the community, as well as of the various local organizations, in order to give the several hundred visitors who will attend the 1917 convention the best of good time and the most interesting of entertainment. Headed by the Board of Trade, we should all lend a hand toward this end. Bear this in mind from now until the time of the assembling of the convention.



This is the banner day for your legs. Leg it this way and save a dollar. \$4 trousers for \$3. On the \$7 trousers a saving of a dollar on each leg.

Outing Trousers 18 pairs in the lot; 25 per cent. off the regular price.

28 children's wash suits, 14 children's rompers now priced as follows:

\$1.00 and \$1.50 quality, 69c.
50c and 75c quality, 39c.

These are good quality regular goods, sizes 3 years to 8 years.

Straw Hats Now Half Price

New hats, caps, neckwear, shirts and interwoven hose. Watch our window.

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Clothing and Furnishings

Clearance Shoe Sale

Three months left in which to wear low shoes. We have some exceptionally good values in all lines in men's, women's and children's, at 10 per cent. to as high as 50 per cent. off the regular prices. Buy them now for next summer and save a nice sum.

Rogers' Walk-Over Boot Shop

FORMER ST. JOHNSBURY MAN.

Pliny J. Cowles Died in Burlington After Year's Illness.

Burlington, Aug. 25.—Pliny Jefferson Cowles of 32 Nash place died yesterday after an illness of a year. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Evelyn, of this city, one sister, Mrs. C. C. Brown of Boston, and his mother, Mrs. O. F. Cowles of St. Johnsbury. The funeral will be held at nine o'clock tomorrow morning from his late home. Burial will be made in St. Johnsbury.

Mr. Cowles was born in Albany February 11, 1861, the eldest of the four children of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Cowles of St. Johnsbury. He was educated at Montpelier seminary and Eastman's Business college. He was in the post-office at St. Johnsbury for eight years, after which he was in the customs office at Richmond for four years. He served as treasurer of the Hardwick Savings Bank and Trust company for five years before coming to Burlington, where he became cashier in the Equitable Life Insurance company's office.

Mr. Cowles was a charter member of Apollo lodge, K. of P., in St. Johnsbury, transferring to Union lodge of Hardwick, and later to Champlain lodge of this city. He had held all the offices of the Knights of Pythias, being grand chancellor of the state, supreme representative for three years, and grand keeper of the records and seals for many years. He was a member of the Green Mountain lodge, I. O. O. F., a member of the Uniform Rank, K. of P., a member of the Knights of Khorassan, D. O. K. K.

FUNERAL OF T. H. MILLS

Two Funeral Rituals Were Used, Odd Fellows' at Home, Masonic at Grave.

The funeral of Timothy H. Mills, who died at his home on the Montpelier road Tuesday afternoon after a long illness, was held at his residence yesterday afternoon, there being many relatives, friends and fraternal brothers in attendance, including delegations from the local Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges. The Odd Fellows had their ritual service at the house, and the Masons had theirs at the grave in Hope cemetery.

Rev. B. G. Lipsky, pastor of the Hedding Methodist church, was the officiating clergyman, and the bearers were Gilbert Small, Frank L. Small, Arthur D. Young, J. E. Roberts, L. R. Hutchinson and George H. Hoyt.

PIERCE-DELANO

Morrisville Girl the Bride of Fitzwilliam, N. H., Man.

Morrisville, Aug. 25.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Delano on the Elmore mountain road was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon, when their daughter, Emma Faith, was united in marriage to Charles Elmer Pierce of Fitzwilliam, N. H. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. E. Baker of the First Congregational church of Morrisville, in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends.

The bride entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Katherine Campbell of Gardner, Mass., the bride on the arm of her father being preceded by her maid of honor, Miss Marion Kendall of Gardner, Mass., Shirley Gould as flower girl and Clara Phelps as ring bearer. Howard Delano, a brother of the bride, acted as best man.

The parlor was prettily decorated with evergreen and sweet peas, an arch being formed bearing the initials of the bride and groom.

The Episcopal ring service was used. The bride was becomingly attired in white crepe de chine, trimmed with white satin, and carried a bridal bouquet of white sweet peas. The maid of honor wore pink crepe de chine and carried pink sweet peas.

Following the ceremony a short reception was held, during which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the Misses Susan Delano, Vera Gilbert, Minnie Bliss and Clover Gould. The dining room was decorated with pond lilies. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts, including linen, cut glass, silver, etc. The couple left by automobile for their wedding trip and will be at home to their friends at Fitzwilliam, N. H., after Sept. 1.

Among the out of town guests were Charles F. Pierce, father of the groom, of Fitzwilliam, N. H.; Mrs. Butler of Boston; Mrs. Alexander Smith of Fitchburg, Mass.; and the Misses Marion Kendall and Katherine Campbell of Gardner, Mass.

FOUR HEATS IN ONE RACE.

On the Program of the Fair at Fair Haven Thursday.

Fair Haven, Aug. 25.—About 10,000 people were present yesterday, the big day of the Fair Haven fair, the weather being perfect. The streets of the town were filled with automobiles and teams from early morning until afternoon, all vehicles being headed for the fair grounds.

The race for Ford cars against time was an interesting feature of the afternoon. Dr. E. L. Wells of Rutland making the mile nearest to the three-minute mark. His time was 3:06. Clayton Preston won second prize, his time being 3:07. H. P. V. Clements was third, 3:02 1/2, and J. C. Durick fourth, 2:44 1/2.

There were two races on yesterday's card, one of which went four heats. The 2:24 pace—2:20 trot went to Eva Dare after Grace Flagler had won the first heat. The 2:30 pace—2:18 trot was won by Echo Wilkes in straight heats.

Between the heats, G. S. Parsons of Benson exhibited his Kentucky thoroughbreds, "The King's Queen," and "Dick Stroker."

The free attractions before the grandstand met with general approval. The stunts of Yonno, the oriental juggler, were sufficiently mystifying, and Lewis' trained dogs and monkeys showed wonderful intelligence and training. Two of the largest monkeys, however, took a little vacation trip, and before they were captured and brought back to the platform they had given their keeper a long chase.

Race summaries:
2:20 Pace, 2:16 Trot.
Purse, \$250.
Echo Wilkes 1 1 1
Woodlawn Girl, bm 2 2 2
Lady Wilkes 3 3 3
Jow Andrus 4 4 4
Time—2:19 1/2, 2:18 1/2, 2:18 1/2.
2:24 Pace, 2:20 Trot.
Purse, \$250.
Eva Dare, bkm, by The Abby 2 1 1
Grace Flagler 3 3 3
Billy Burke 4 2 4
Lady Weaver, bm 5 4 2
Time—2:20 1/2, 2:21 1/2, 2:22 1/2, 2:21 1/2.

CHAMPION VOLGA WINNER.

Easily Captured Feature Event in Cleveland Grand Circuit.

Cleveland, Aug. 25.—The Champion Stallion Stake race, the feature event of yesterday's grand circuit card at North Randall, was won by Volga, the fast little mare of the Pastime stable, without having to extend herself. Volga, the champion 1915 two-year-old, won easily over Expressive Lou and Bingen Silk, the only contenders who gave her competition. Charley Valentine, one of the successful drivers in the two around, gained distinction yesterday by winning two races. With Donna Lena he cleaned up in the 2:18 trot, stepping the mare 2:05 1/2, in the first heat, the fastest mile recorded by any four-year-old this season.

Valentine also piloted Early Don to victory in the Cuyahoga stake, and while Early was a little late in getting started, thus losing the first heat, the Don won the second and third and the race.

The first race of the card, the 2:18 pace, was the only poor race of the card, as was evidenced when McEnery, the favorite, won the last heat in no faster time than 2:13 1/2. McEnery broke in the first heat, Rayo De Oro winning that mile. McEnery won the next two heats.

In his attempt to break the world's record to wagon with an amateur driver, Directum I, driven by H. K. Devereux, fell short of Williams' mark of 1:59 1/2, negotiating the mile in 2:02 1/2.

The day's racing was marred by an accident, Curt Gosnell, driving Hazel Armstrong, in a trial heat, being thrown from his buggy and seriously injured.

PLAINFIELD

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MARSHFIELD

Buy your electric lamps from E. G. Carpenter at the Molly Falls telephone office.—adv.

WITH THE BOYS
AT EAGLE PASS

Corporal Edwards Writes About the Big Storm Which Struck Camp the Night of Aug. 19 and Made Great Havoc.

Eagle Pass, Tex., Aug. 20, 1916.

Editor of Times:

Dear sir:—I again take my pen in hand to let you know what is taking place in Eagle Pass. Last night we experienced one of the worst storms since we have been here. The natives say it was the worst in five years. The first part of the night was cool and at 9:35 it started to rain. At 10:30 the wind blew a hurricane, driving the rain in a sheet, striking the canvas tents and making sleep impossible. The snapping of the canvas, the rattle of the rain and the howling of the wind would do justice to a boiler factory or a machine gun platoon in action. We had to shout at the pitch of our voices to make ourselves heard. At 12:35 the ropes of my tent gave way, allowing the tent to fall.

We had to dive out into the terrific downpour and beat a hasty retreat to the Y. M. C. A. building, which was so generously opened by Mr. Brown, who has charge of the building. I happened to be one of the first out in the streets and it was a great sight, some clad in blankets and others clad only in their underclothing, all making their way to the shelter. Many of the streets had their tents flat upon the ground. The hospital was blown down and the medical corps' new mess hall was destroyed. The paper roofing upon the canteen and the Y. M. C. A. buildings was blown off. Officers' quarters were flattened. Many papers and other property were lost and all our equipment was deluged. The mud was from six to nine inches deep, and over one's shoes. Everything was all mud and water but no one was hurt.

The Kansas troops were in the same fix, also the Kansas battery. They had to take refuge in the different camps around them. The Maryland medical corps took refuge in our camp, others in the U. S. artillery. We had no regular breakfast as the mess hall was flooded and also the kitchen. We had sandwiches which we made the night before; they were to have been used as we were to have gone on the march. All the papers and magazines were spoiled in the Y. M. C. A. building, as the whole place was a sea of water and mud. The rain did not stop until 2:30 o'clock the 19th. Many pictures were taken by the officers and I may be able to get some of these later on. After the storm each corporal had to take an inventory of the equipment and send in a shortage list at 6 o'clock that night. We worked all the afternoon putting the tent back up. We washed all our clothes, and our shoes look like balls of mud at this writing. We have straightened the poles of our tents this morning so as to let the sun dry out the floors. Some of the boys are putting wooden floors in their tents which they have to pay for out of their own pockets. A floor 16 by 16 feet costs \$3.

If anyone says that our life here is easy in any way, their report is false. We have done everything from shoveling gravel to making roads, clearing land of brush and carpenter work. But we are not kicking, as we came here to take what was coming. I see that the other troops are not coming down here. I do not see why they should, as there are enough troops here for all the trouble we have. We got our July pay the 17th of August, after a long wait. There is no Sunday in the army, for we work this day as hard as on any other. Well, will draw this to a close. I remain as ever, Sincerely yours,

Corporal A. G. Edwards,
Co. H, 1st Vt. Inf.

Eagle Pass, Tex.

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Western Roast Beef for Saturday only, per lb. 17c
10-lb. bag of Corn Meal ... 25c

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\$1.50 Dresses for \$1.00
\$1.75 Dresses for 1.25
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Lot of Colored Stripe Waists 49c
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50 Samples, Crepe de Chine Silk Waists, at \$1.98, \$2.25
Select your Waist before they are picked over.

NEW PERCALES
Light and Dark Colors—Assortment of 30 patterns to select of these 12 1/2c
Percales for, per yard 11c

WASH SKIRTS
Our entire stock of Wash Skirts up to \$3.98, your choice for 98c and \$1.25

SEPARATE WOOL SKIRTS
One lot put on sale. Black and Navy Blue, just a special, at \$2.98

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Best value ever offered at
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Cotton Sale Saturday

2000 yards White Cheese Cloth, 36 inches wide, at 4c a yard; quantity limited to each customer.

THE VAUGHAN STORE

MONTPELIER

Miss Lucille Scully, who has been the guest in the city for the past ten days of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Dobbs of St. Paul, left yesterday afternoon for her home in White River Junction.

E. A. Harris, office manager of the Tenny company, left yesterday for Boston, receiving word that twin sons had arrived at his home in Malden, Mass.

Mrs. Estelle Cashen, who has been visiting in the city for two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cashen, went yesterday to Burlington to visit Mrs. Howard M. Miles before leaving for her home in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. George Muzzy and daughter, Louise of Worcester, Mass., arrived in

the city yesterday for a visit as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Kent of Pearl street.

A. W. Prescott and daughter have gone to Bridgewater, N. H., to attend an Old Home week celebration.

Jack Claire of Laconia, N. H., arrived in the city yesterday and will be a

member of the local state league baseball team for the rest of the season, having secured a position with the Lane Manufacturing Co.
Lyndon Raymond, superintendent of the Lane Manufacturing shops left last evening for Boston on a brief business stay.



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